

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

JEFF KLOPE,

Defendant.

CRIMINAL NO. 07-40011-JPG

Title 29, U.S.C. § 501(c)

**INDICTMENT**

**THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:**

**EMBEZZLEMENT OF LABOR UNION ASSETS**

**FILED**

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SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
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From on or about October 2002 and continuing through on or about April 2005, in Saline County, within the Southern District of Illinois,

**JEFF KLOPE,**

defendant herein, while an officer, that is Secretary-Treasurer of the International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Local S-8 union, of a labor organization engaged in an industry affecting commerce, did embezzle and unlawfully and willfully abstract and convert to his own use the funds and assets of the International Brotherhood of Boilermakers Local S-8 union in the approximate amount of \$25,794.

All in violation of Title 29, United States Code, Section 501(c).

A TRUE BILL

  
FOREPERSON

  
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Recommended Bond: \$25,000 unsecured